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MEMORANDUM FOR: DEPUTY DIRECTOR (PLANS)

SUBJECT: Report of the Rumanian Army made by Mr. H. Malaxa

REFERENCE: Memo. from Support Branch, G/CI, to OPC, dated 24 April 1951

1. Reference is made to a report entitled, "Present Organization of the Rumanian Army", submitted to you by a Mr. H. Malaxa who in turn had received it from Mr. H. Neofaru.

2. It is considered likely that the submission of this report by Mr. Malaxa is motivated largely by his wish to establish connections with American authorities with a view to exploiting such connections for enhancement of his own prestige among Rumanian circles, and in the effort to rehabilitate himself. As you may know Mr. Malaxa, who is in the United States on a visitor's visa, has filed a petition with the Immigration Authorities for adjustment of his status to become a permanent resident on the basis of Section 4 of the Displaced Persons Act of 1948 as amended. His case is still in the process of hearing by the Immigration Authorities; but even a favorable decision on their part may not become final until approved by a concurrent resolution of the Congress. Thus, it appears that this will be a long, drawn-out case.

3. In the past this office has maintained a strictly "hands off" position and has declined to become in any way involved in the charges and counter-charges concerning Malaxa, particularly as regards the above mentioned proceedings. In view of the likelihood that Malaxa would attempt to use any statement which the Agency might make in response to his submission of this report, we should like to recommend that no acknowledgement be made of his communication.

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